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Dear *

We have begun the analysis of proposed commercial timber sales in the Little Snake area. This area is approximately 30 miles north of the Steamboat Springs, Co. and is approximately 30,000 acres. The proposal is to harvest timber in such a way as to improve forest health and diversity.

Scoping is an integral part of the environmental analysis process. The purpose is to determine the scope of issues to be addressed and identify significant issues related to the proposed action (40 CFR 1501.7). Your comments will assist us to identify any issues associated with this proposed action.

Enclosed is a scoping document which outlines the proposed action, the purpose and need for this action and potential issues. If you have any comments or concerns regarding the enclosed proposal, I would appreciate hearing from you by, May, 10 2002. Please send your comments to the Yampa Ranger District, PO Box 7, Yampa CO 80483. You may also fax your comments in at 970-638-4635. If you have any questions please contact Ric Ondrejka of my staff at 970-638-4516.

Sincerely,

Kim Vogel
District Ranger

